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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 31st Saturday in 1920 (31st July 1920).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1920: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
													This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	„ City & Taluk	0	23	1	46	5	40	13	06	— 7	66				
	Hoskoté	..	..	0	96	4	33	9	97	— 5	64				
	Dodballapur	0	26	1	27	8	40	11	72	— 3	32	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·00	4·00	5·93
	Nelamangala	...	...	1	07	5	95	11	38	— 5	43				
	Kankanhalli	0	10	0	80	11	09	11	86	— 0	77	Ragi	7·00	7·00	13·00
	Magadi	0	32	1	16	8	78	12	52	— 3	74	Kulthi	6·00	6·00	10·75
	Channapatna	0	65	0	76	10	60	12	90	— 2	30	Kadale	4·00	4·00	7·43
	Anekal	0	50	1	41	11	13	12	80	— 1	67				
	Devanhalli	0	07	0	72	6	62	11	04	— 4	42				
	Closepet	0	73	0	84	12	39	12	53	— 0	14				
	District average...	0	29	1	04	8	47	11	98	— 3	51				
KOLAR.	Kolar	0	14	0	63	5	59	12	12	— 6	53				
	Bowringpet	0	75	0	62	4	97	12	28	— 7	31	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·25	4·25	7·72
	Chintamani	0	25	0	52	5	91	10	59	— 4	68				
	Mulbagal	...	...	0	62	5	24	10	46	— 5	22	Ragi	7·00	7·00	17·23
	Sidlaghatta	0	41	0	51	5	10	12	10	— 7	00	Kulthi	7·00	7·00	11·75
	Chikballapur	0	58	0	94	8	34	12	05	— 3	71	Kadale	4·50	4·50	9·10
	Bagepalli	0	41	1	11	5	75	11	14	— 5	39				
	Goribidnur	0	28	0	79	3	34	12	32	— 8	98				
	Malur	...	..	0	73	3	71	11	77	— 8	06				
	Srinivaspur	...	....	0	62	7	01	12	12	— 5	11				
	Gudibanda	2	40	0	80	8	09	14	05	— 5	96				
	District average...	0	47	0	72	5	73	11	91	— 6	18				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	0	71	1	31	10	80	12	54	— 1	74	Rice, 2nd sort	4·50	4·50	8·00
	Maddagiri	0	27	0	65	5	53	12	34	— 6	81				
	Chikkanayakanhalli	0	63	0	94	7	00	11	35	— 4	35	Ragi	7·50	8·50	18·00
	Sira	0	17	0	75	7	03	9	55	— 2	52	Kulthi	6·50	6·50	10·00
	Gubbi	0	88	1	10	10	23	14	21	— 3	98	Kadale	4·00	3·75	8·80
	Tiptur	...	....	0	49	4	82	9	69	— 4	87				
	Pavagada	0	11	0	90	3	48	9	64	— 6	16				
	Kunigal	0	22	0	90	6	50	12	58	— 6	08				
	Koratagere	0	56	1	03	6	10	12	46	— 6	36				
	Turuvekere	...	...	0	65	3	65	12	59	— 8	94				
	District average ...	0	35	0	87	6	51	11	69	— 5	18				

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday				Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1920					
				This year	Average of past ten years	Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
		I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.	Mysore	0 19	0 74	8 04	13 11	— 5 07		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Chamrajnagar	... ...	0 50	7 60	10 44	— 2 84				
	Seringapatam	0 24	0 58	8 54	11 54	— 3 00				
	Hunsur	0 82	0 56	17 14	15 82	+ 1 32	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	6·55
	Yedatore	... ...	0 93	7 74	11 73	— 3 99				
	Heggaddevankote	1 77	1 45	28 13	20 43	+ 7 70	Ragi	8·00	8·00	13·69
	Gundlupet	0 18	0 55	12 17	12 64	— 0 47				
	Nanjangud	0 55	0 70	13 38	13 17	+ 0 21	Kulthi	6·75	6·50	12·81
	T.-Narsipur	0 40	0 77	10 77	11 50	— 0 73	Kadale	4·00	4·00	7·00
	Malvalli	0 21	0 59	9 32	10 87	— 1 55				
	Mandya	... ...	0 46	7 84	10 30	— 2 46				
	Krishnarajpete	... ...	0 56	8 52	13 98	— 5 46				
	Nagamangala	... ...	0 71	7 26	9 67	— 2 41				
	District average...	0 34	0 70	11 27	12 71	— 1 44				
HASSAN.	Hassan	0 87	1 16	13 15	42 23	—29 08				
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	7 89	6 77	58 22	69 48	—11 26	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·25	4·25	7·00
	Arkalgud	2 00	2 97	16 98	47 78	—30 80				
	Belur	2 15	1 57	14 98	45 87	—30 89	Ragi	8 to 9·00	8 to 9·00	15·00
	Channarayapatna	0 44	0 69	11 39	39 93	—28 54				
	Arsikere	0 16	0 64	6 71	32 37	—25 66	Kulthi	6·00	6·00	12·00
	Hole-Narsipur	0 71	0 68	9 40	36 42	—27 02				
	Alur (Sub)	2 26	2 16	23 82	48 05	—24 23	Kadale	3·00	3·00	6·50
	District average...	2 06	2 08	19 33	45 27	—25 94				
SHIMOGA.	Shimoga	1 14	1 73	16 49	17 50	— 1 01				
	Channagiri	1 14	2 36	15 30	14 52	+ 0 78	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50	5·50	6·45
	Honnali	... ...	1 45	7 69	11 22	— 3 53				
	Shikarpur	0 96	2 41	15 26	18 84	— 3 58	Ragi	8·00	9·00	14·33
	Sorab	3 93	4 66	34 67	35 16	— 0 49				
	Sagar	5 52	6 47	46 13	47 03	— 0 90	Kulthi	6·25	6·25	8·65
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	7 75	8 45	77 90	62 96	+14 94				
	Tirthahalli	9 96	10 61	76 37	73 31	+ 3 06				
	Kumsi	2 14	2 77	21 92	23 00	— 1 08				
	District average...	3 62	4 55	34 64	33 73	+ 0 91				
KADUR.	Chikmagalur	0 73	1 59	11 68	18 71	— 7 03				
	Kadur	0 27	0 96	4 63	10 21	— 5 58	Rice, 2nd sort.	4 to 6·00	4 to 6·00	3·50 to 5·25
	Tarikere	1 59	2 13	16 53	16 91	— 0 38				
	Koppa	13 75	9 95	71 45	61 43	+10 02	Ragi	9 to 10·00	9 to 10·00	7 to 7·50
	Mudgere	6 10	7 00	62 54	52 37	+10 17				
	Narasimharajapura	6 07	6 97	42 85	42 81	+ 0 04	Kulthi	5·50 to 6·00	5·50 to 6·00	7·50 to 8·00
	Sringeri	16 51	13 76	97 81	80 10	+17 71				
	District average...	6 43	6 05	43 93	40 36	+ 3 57	Kadale	3·50 to 4·00	3·50 to 4·00	3·50 to 4·00
CHITALDRUG.	Chitaldrug	0 26	1 43	6 03	9 98	— 3 95				
	Challakere	0 08	0 60	1 47	8 39	— 6 92	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	7·50
	Hiriyur	... ...	1 06	2 68	12 30	— 9 62				
	Holalkere	0 44	1 06	5 85	10 69	— 4 84	Ragi	9·00	8·50	18·00
	Davangere	0 59	0 88	9 93	10 14	— 0 21				
	Molakalmuru	... ...	1 39	3 45	9 06	— 5 61	Kulthi	7·50	7·00	15·00
	Jagalur	0 25	0 82	6 43	8 32	— 1 89				
	Hosdurga	0 ...	0 73	5 01	10 95	— 5 94	Cholum	9·00	8·00	15·00
	Harihar	0 35	1 05	6 45	9 61	— 3 16				
	District average...	0 22	1 00	5 25	9 93	— 4 68	Kadale	4·00	4·00	7·50
	Provincial average...	1 72	2 13	16 89	22 20	— 5 31	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects, or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	Report not received	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas
Ragi		
Rangoon rice (2nd sort)		

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are not in progress in parts of Hoskote Taluk for want of sufficient rain.

Seeds sown.—Ragi in parts of Bangalore, Channapatna and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Avare in parts of Channapatna and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Sowing operations are reported to be not in progress in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks for want of sufficient rain.

Standing crops.—Standing crops are in a fair condition, but require a good shower of rain. Paddy crops in parts of Hoskote and Devanhalli Taluks and ragi crop in parts of Nelamangala Taluk are reported to be withering for want of rain.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Hoskote Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair, but want of rain is keenly felt all over the district. Food stuffs are available, but the prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Dodroga in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Ragi, avare and togari in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Gid ragi and sugar-cane are fairly good under tanks and wells. Dry crops of ragi, avare, same, sajje are reported to be in urgent need of rain.

10. *Season prospects.*—Fair. Urgent need of rain in all parts is felt.

Prices of food grains continue to be the same as in the last week.

Labour.—Sufficient for the present.

11. Public health is generally good, except for fever in parts of the Kolar and Mulbagal Taluks and small-pox in the Kolar Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Rinderpest in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani and Srinivaspur Taluks. Fodder and water are available.